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tf 2364 Hongkong, 14th October, 1867.

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tf 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

WATERS.

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			Receiving Vessels, & Hulks.	
Mabe	Brit. bg	235	Tudor Master	Gunpowder depot
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			Steamers.	
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Sinn			Customs	
Sylphide,			Customs Chop	
			Store Ship	
			MACAO.	
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Petten	Amer. bk	862	Bouman & Co	Manila
Dubois	Fren. bk	271	Lanfalette & Co	*Port Charter*
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Ferson	H.C.M.	Str.	Revenue Cruiser	
Stocks	Brit. sh	696	Wm. Pustau & Co	Shanghai
			SWATOW.	
			In port on 8th February, 1867.	
	Brit. bk		Order	*Unascertain*
	Brit. bk		Order	Shanghai
	Brit. bk		Order	*Unascertain*
	Ham. bk		Order	*Unascertain*
	Ham. bk		Order	Foke
	Dnpr. bk		Order	Singapore
	Prus. bk		Order	Chefoo
	Brit. bk		Order	Shanghai
	Brit. bk		Order	Shanghai
	Brit. bk		Order	*Unascertain*
	Amer. sch		Order	*Monthly Charter*
	Brit. bk		Order	*Unascertain*
	Brit. bk		Order	*Monthly Charter*
			AMOY.	
			In port on 9th February, 1868.	
Boing	Ham. bg	250	Paesdeg & Co	Takao
Iversen	Prus. sch	251	H. A. Petersen & Co	*Unascertain*
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Arrivals.

None.

Departures.

Feb. 21, MONGCHEREM, for Whampoa.
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Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
FEBRUARY 21st.

Clan Alpine, str., for Singapore & Calcutta.
Susanada, str., for Shanghai.
Midas, for Okhotsk.
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Passengers.

Per *Alix*, str.,—
For London.—Capt. and Mrs. Shillaton, W. Gibson, 2 Second, and 30 Third Class.—For Singapore.—28 Chinese passengers. For Mauritius.—20 Chinese passengers.

Per *Clan Alpine*, str., for Spore & Calcutta.—2 Cabin and 10 Chinese.

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Reports.

None.

Auction Sales To-day.

FAWCETT & Co.
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NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the portion of *Robinson Road* which lies between *Castle Road* and *Bonham Road* is CLOSED to the Public from this date, during certain alterations and repairs. By order,

W. WILSON,
Surveyor-General.

Surveyor-General's Office,
Hongkong, 17th December, 1867. [tf 292

THE MEMBERS of the late HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS, are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

H. COHEN.
tf 631 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

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PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.
1m 212 Hongkong, 1st February, 1868.

WILLIAM HOBSON & Co.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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tf 80 14th January, 1868.

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REINYVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
tf 6 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1868.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
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All cheques or orders to be made payable to "The Oriental Bank Corporation."

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

GEORGE SCHOLEFIELD, *Acting Manager.*
JAMES BREWICK, *Acting Manager.*
249 Hongkong, 1st JANUARY, 1867.

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Current deposits.—Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.

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" at 9 " ..... 5½ per annum.

The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.

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WILLIAM JACKSON, *Manager.*
2, Queen's Road, 24th July, 1867.

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LIME JUICE ..... 50 Boxes.

ALF. H. PRICE,
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Hongkong, 28th December, 1867. [tf 3035

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No. 13, *Queen's Road Central.*
2m. 291 Hongkong, 18th January, 1868.

A CARD.

TH. H. ELMERHORST, JR.
SHIPBROKER.
tf 2494 Hongkong, 12th November, 1866.

MR. JOHN THOMSON,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
BEGS to intimate that he will visit Hongkong by the next French Mail.
tf 227 Saigon, 28th January, 1868.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, 5,000,000 of Dollars

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For 3 months' ½ per cent. per annum.
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Credits—granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

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VICTOR KRESSER, *Chief Manager.*
Offices of the Corporation,
Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road.
tf 1063 Hongkong, 24th January, 1868.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say $7.50 per paid-up Share of $125, and $1.50 per Share on which $25 have been paid, is payable on and after MONDAY, the 17th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, *Queen's Road*, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
tf 313 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Notice that the Fourth Call of Two Hundred Dollars is made in two Instalments of One Hundred Dollars each per share. First of which will fall due on the 15th of March, and the Second on the 30th of April Next, and will be payable at the office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, *Queen's Road*, Hongkong, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged after the above dates.

By order of the Board of Directors,
J. B. ENDICOTT,
Secretary.
tf 178 Hongkong, 27th January, 1868.

ARMY CONTRACTS 1868-1869.

SEALED TENDERS in Duplicate, marked outside "Tenders for Army Contracts," will be received by the undersigned until noon on WEDNESDAY, the 26th February, 1868, from persons willing to contract for such articles as may be required by the Commissariat Department during the ensuing year, viz.:—

MONDAY.

Fresh Beef, Fresh Mutton, Bread, Forage, Firewood, Charcoal, Lime, Bricks, Tiles, Sand, Stone, Cartage, Coolies, Hospital Stores, Bedding, Utensils, &c., as may from time to time be required for the use of Her Majesty's Troops in the Island of Hongkong or its outposts, during the year commencing 1st April, 1868.

Forms of Tender (no other than those issued by the Commissariat will be received), and Conditions of Contract, with any further information that may be required, can be obtained on application to the Commissariat, Barrack, or Purveying Departments, for the respective supplies and services.

Each Tender to be signed by two responsible persons, willing to become surety for the party tendering.

The right of rejecting the lowest or any Tender is reserved.

REDMOND UNIACKE,
Dep. Commissary General,
Commissariat Office, Commissariat Store,
Hongkong, 5th February, 1868.

THE Undersigned, His Prussian Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires in Japan, hereby informs the masters of merchant vessels belonging to the North German Confederation, that from and after the day on which these ships will hoist the flag of the North German Confederation, they will be admitted to the ports in Japan open to foreign trade, under the same privileges and rights as granted to the merchant vessels of Prussia, by the treaty concluded between Prussia and Japan on the 24th day of January, 1861.

VON BRANDT.
1m 288 Osaka, 28th January, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE LONDON AND CHINA HERALD.

IN accordance with the arrangements already announced, this paper has been hitherto distributed gratis in Hongkong and throughout the Treaty ports of China and Japan. As the public has thus had an opportunity of making its acquaintance, the proprietor desires that a list of subscribers shall now be formed.

The issue published in London for the mail leaving on the 10th of January, will only be distributed to subscribers, and all persons who wish to continue in receipt of the paper, and who have not already notified their wish, are hereby requested to do so.

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GEORGE STREET, 60, Cornhill, London,
and to W. H. BELL,
Daily Press Office, Wyndham Street,
Hongkong.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

NOTICE.

RENTS AND ACCOUNTS COLLECTED with despatch, and DISTRAINT WARRANTS FOR RENT issued and executed.
SECURITY IS REQUIRED.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53 Wyndham Street.
tf 336 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that FOONG-YU-YEW, hitherto clerk in our firm, has left his employment from the commencement of this year, and the undersigned will not be responsible for any transactions entered into by him from that Date.

HIP-CHING,
HOANG, *Centlm.*
1w 339 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

NOTICE.

OUR SHIPCHANDLERY BUSINESS has now been REMOVED to *Praya*, Nos. 30 and 31, the premises formerly occupied by Messrs. PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.; Successors to Messrs. JOHN STURZE & Co.

FREDERKS, RODATZ & Co.
tf 237 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

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SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

PERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Proprietor.
tf 2910 Hongkong, 16th December, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FAWCETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Rooms,

THIS DAY,

the 22nd February, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M. (Instead of the day previously advertised).

A Fine assortment of GOODS, just landed ex *Leon*, consisting of:—

GLASS WARE.
HARDWARE.

PAINT BRUSHES, TAR BRUSHES, PADLOCKS, DOOR LOCKS, CUPBOARD LOCKS, BRASS SCREWS, CANDLESTICKS, SHOE BRUSHES, SCRAPERS, MEASURES, EMERY PAPER and CLOTH, SANDPAPER, Sailor's PALMS.

6 Butts PUMP LEATHER.
10 Coils New WIRE ROPE, 1 in. to 2½ in.
10 Cases SEBREY.
100 Boxes SOAP.
TARTS FRUITS, MUSTARD, JAMS, OLIVES, ALMONDS, SARDINE, CURRANTS, MACARONI, VERMICELLI.
20 Cases GINGER BRANDY.
50 " BRANDY.
10 " BITTERS.

A quantity of PERFUMERY, and any other GOODS that may offer.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

293 Hongkong, 19th February, 1868.

LAND AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co.

WILL sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,

the 22nd February, 1868, at 5.30 o'clock P.M.,

On the Ground,

The Western Moiety of Marine Lot No. 189, measuring North on the *Praya* 50 feet, South on *Middle Street* 50 feet, East on the remaining Section, adjoining the Gas Works, 225 feet, and West on Messrs. ILLINGWORTH & Co.'s Iron Foundry 225 feet, which piece of GROUND contains in the whole 11,250 square feet. Crown Rent $120 per annum.

The Eastern Moiety next adjoining the Gas Works will also be put up for Sale, if sufficient inducement offers.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers, or to Mr EDMUND SHARP, Solicitor, Bank Buildings.

TERMS OF SALE will be made known at time of sale.

307 Hongkong, 13th February, 1868.

IN ES SHERIFF COURT, A BANKRUPT.

WILL sell by Public Auction, by order of F. S. HUFFAM, Esq., Official Assignee, on

MONDAY,

the 24th February, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., On the Premises, corner of *Old Bailey Street* and *Hollywood Road*—

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Drawing Room, Dining Room, and Bed Room SUITES, in Crimson and Green; PIER GLASSES in Gilt Frames; ENGRAVINGS, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description whatsoever, at purchasers' risk upon fall of the hammer.

312 Hongkong, 15th February, 1868.

BOWRA & Co.

HAVE received Instructions to sell by Public Auction, on the Premises known as No. 3 *Queen's Road Central*,

MONDAY,

the 24th February, 1868, at 10 o'clock A.M.,

The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, STOCK-IN-TRADE, &c., under distraint for Rent.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

310 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1868.

SUPERIOR JAPANESE WARE AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 26th February, 1868, at 2 o'clock P.M.,

In their Sale Rooms, Queen's Road,—

The following very fine Japanese WARE, viz.:—

CIGAR BOXES, TEA TRAYS, GLOVE BOXES, FANCY BOXES, Ink and Writing BOXES, CUPS and SAUCERS, Porcelain VASES, SNUFF BOXES, CHOW-CHOW BOXES, BOWLS, PLATES, &c., &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description whatsoever, at purchasers' risk upon fall of the hammer.

353 Hongkong, 21st February, 1868.

NOTICE.

TO BE Sold by Public Auction, in Shanghai, at the end of February, the two well-known Barkentines "*TALEE*" and "*KEW-KEE*," (A 1 14 years), now 8 years old, with a full and complete inventory, carrying about 500 Tons of cargo each, on 16 feet draft.

136 5/10 feet in length.
22 8/10 " " breadth.
12 2/10 " " depth of hold.
342 30/100 Tonnage Register.
590 15/00 Tons Builder's Measurement.

Framework, Iron and Wood composite built.

1m 205 Hongkong, 31st January, 1868.

WANTED to engage the services of a respectable Woman, to take charge of a shop—good Salary will be offered to one well experienced in business. Address A. G., *Daily Press* Office.

tf 223 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned have this day REMOVED their STORE from *Praya East* to the Premises No. 13, *Queen's Road Central*, formerly occupied by the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

WESTERN DOCK. MACEWEN & Co.
tf 2839 Hongkong, 7th December, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Office of the Agency of P. M. S. S. COMPANY is REMOVED to *Praya West*, next door below HAZEON MASTER'S Office.

GEO. F. BOWMAN,
Agent.
tf 2494 Hongkong, 29th October, 1867.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES—

The Colonial Secretary.
The Honourable W. KEswICK, Esq.
GEO. HEARD, Esq.
The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio).
W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., *Resident Surgeon.*
Mr. YOUNG, *House Surgeon.*
W. PATERSON, Esq., *Hon. Treasurer.*

TERMS OF ADMISSION—

1st Class (Private Room) per day, $3.00
2nd " { (2 Patients in Room) " " $2.00
3rd " (Public Ward) " " $0.75

These charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendance, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony.

(Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended.

1st Class ..... $60.
2nd " ..... $40.
3rd " ..... $20.)

By order,
W. PATERSON,
Treasurer.
tf 21 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1868.

MRS. VENTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, *Hollywood Road*, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE.
tf 661 Hongkong, 12th March, 1867.

Intimations.

HONGKONG CLUB.

THE Second GENERAL MEETING of Members of the HONGKONG CLUB will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, at 5 P.M.

Immediately thereafter an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held, to take into consideration a resolution to be then brought forward, and which is hung up in the CLUB HOUSE for the information of Members.

By order of the Committee,
GEORGE H. AYLMORE,
Secretary.
93 313 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

CLUB LUSITANO DE HONGKONG, LIMITED.

THE Third Ordinary MEETING of Shareholders, under Clause 57 of the Articles of Association, will take place at the Premises of this Society, *(Shelley Street)*, on MONDAY, the 2nd March, at 5.30 P.M.

Three new annual Directors, under Clause 61 of the Articles of Association, will be elected on that occasion.

L. J. DA SILVA,
Secretary.
Club Lusitano,
Hongkong, 17th February, 1868. [15d 324

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

JOHN HEARD, AUGUSTINE HEARD, Junior, ALBERT FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FREDERICK WELLER, and ROBERT INGLIS FEARON, trading under the style or Firm of AUGUSTINE HEARD AND COMPANY,—*Plaintiffs.*

ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUDSELL, F. B. HILDRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS,—*Defendants.*

WHEREAS an action has been commenced in this Honorable Court at the Suit of the above-named JOHN HEARD, AUGUSTINE HEARD, Junior, ALBERT FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FREDERICK WELLER, and ROBERT INGLIS FEARON, against the above-named ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUDSELL, F. B. HILDRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS to recover the sum of Eight thousand five hundred and sixty eight Dollars and three cents, for money received by the said ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUDSELL, F. B. HILDRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS for the use of the said Plaintiffs JOHN HEARD, AUGUSTINE HEARD, Junior, ALBERT FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE FREDERICK WELLER, and ROBERT INGLIS FEARON, and for money found to be due to the said Defendants on an account stated between them; and it being alleged that the said ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUDSELL, F. B. HILDRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS do not reside within this Island or its Dependencies, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the *Tenth day of March next*, wherein J. S. WATSON, of Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, Master Mariner, is Garnishee.

Notice is hereby given, that if at any time before final judgment in this action the said HENRY W. HUDSELL or any person on his behalf, will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island, intituled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in action at Law against persons Absent from the Colony," the said Attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this Fourteenth day of February, 1868.

HENRY C. CALDWELL,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.
341 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—SHERIFF GURIM, trading in Hongkong and Bombay as Merchants, under the Style or Firm of BURNEY and COMPANY, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the *Twelfth day of February*, 1868, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Honorable WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEXANDER, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at the first Meeting of Creditors, to be held before the said Registrar on the *Twenty-seventh day of February*, 1868, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court.

FREDERICK SOWLEY HUFFAM, Esquire, is the official Assignee, and MR. FRANCIS INNES HAZELAND is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

At the Meeting the Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

All persons having in their possession any of the Effects of the said Bankrupt must deliver them to the said Official Assignee, and all Debts due to the Bankrupt must be paid to the said Official Assignee.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1868. 191 342

KELUNG COAL COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to supply steamers and Vessels with the best FORMOSA COAL at current rates, or to deliver the same under contract at any port in China.

The company having always a large quantity in store, vessels will not be subjected to any unnecessary delay.

DODD & Co.,
Agents.
tf 281 Kelung, 6th January, 1868.

Intimations.

GRAND CARNIVAL BAL MASQUE AT THE THEATRE LUSITANO.

TO take place on TUESDAY NIGHT, the 25th February, at 9 o'clock.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

A Box to hold Six $8
Single Ticket 1
To be had of Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Messrs. BOWRA & Co., and at the door of the THEATRE.

Parties desirous of being spectators only, will be admitted upstairs, and the same Tickets will be available.

Doors will be Opened at half-past 8 o'clock.
271 Hongkong, 10th February, 1868.

BAL MASQUE

MASKS for Sale, DOMINOS and FANCY DRESSES made to order.

D. CONNELLY & Co.
93 328 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

CLUB LUSITANO THEATRE.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT
BY
SIGNORA DE PONTI, PRIMA-DONA SOPRANO;
SIGNOR REINA, BARITONE;
AND
SIGNOR PIZZIOLI, PRIMO-TENORE.
(In Costume.)
ON
WEDNESDAY EVENING,
The 26th February, 1868, at 9 o'clock, Precisely.

L'ELIXIR D'AMORE,
BY DONIZETTI,

PROGRAMME.

ADINA ..... Signora De Ponti.
NEMORINO ..... Signor Pizzioli.
DULCAMARA ..... Signor Reina.
SARGENTE ..... Signor Reina.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Box to hold 6 Persons $18
Reserved Seats 3
Stall 2

Tickets to be had at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, CLUB LUSITANO, HOTEL D'EUROPE, and at the door of the Theatre on the night of the Concert.

Doors open at 8 o'clock. Performance to commence at 9 o'clock precisely.
6d 334 Hongkong, 21st February, 1868.

HONGKONG AMATEUR THEATRICAL SOCIETY.

SEASON 1867-68.

THE COMMITTEE beg to intimate that

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL—$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF $500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners, and Agents is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repairing of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public:—

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.	320 feet.
Length	36 "
Breadth	18½ "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16 "
Do. Neap Tides	

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.	400 feet.
Length	90 "
Breadth	24½ "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	21½ "
Do. Neap Tides	

This DOCK is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE	550 feet.
Length	80 "
Breadth	17 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16½ "
Do. Neap Tides	13½ "

This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.	340 feet.
Length	60 "
Breadth	18 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	15 "
Do. Neap Tides	

The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caisson, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of GRANITE.	260 feet.
Length	40 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	14 "
Do. Neap Tides	11 "

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length	164 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	25.6 "
Do. Neap Tides	9.6 "

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	11 "
Do. Neap Tides	8 "

D and E are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineers' Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale and driven by Steam. The Shipwrights and Blacksmith's shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water, and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKERS DEPARTMENT.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steamships, for contracting which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG Fame, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply at the Offices of the Company, *9 Arthur Street*, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

*N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel getting repaired to complain of the work done in the Docks, or to any *any respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject, when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.*

1 2285 Hongkong, 13th October, 1868.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters, to their Establishments at HONGKONG and WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of vessels of all classes.

Their Docks in Hongkong, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in five hours and are capable of taking in Vessels drawing 16½ feet at Spring Tides.

The Workshops comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boiler Maker, and Founder—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The Stores in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A Jetty, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A Steam Tug always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Works carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars apply at the Company's Office, Peddle's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong.

J. D. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

365 Hongkong, 21st March, 1865.

DANE'S ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY
GOW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship and Blacksmith's Workdone.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN RIACH & Co., *Hongkong*, or to
ALEXR. MORRISON, *Manager, Whampoa.*

1f Hongkong, 4th September, 1863.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.

THIS above DOCK has been in full working order for the last eighteen months, length 300 feet, width at bottom 30 feet, depth of water on the Sill, Springs average 17 feet, Neaps 14 feet.

The Dock in ordinary tides runs dry to the Blocks, and is pumped out by steam. The charges are as follows: The day of entrance, and two following days. One Mexican Dollar per ton register will be charged; beyond that period each day 10 cents per register ton.

S. LASOR.—European Foreman per day		$5.00
Canton " "	"	1.25
Canton Carpenter "	"	75
Foochow "	"	45

For further particulars as to the price of Coppering, &c., &c., apply to

T. D. T. TEMPLEMAN, Esq., Messrs. DE SILVER & Co., Hongkong.

ROBERT ADAMS, Esq., Messrs. NICHOLSON & BOYD, Shanghai.

Or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug *Wenseung*. Vessels requiring the service of this Tug, either from Mateen (where a special anchorage will be found during the S. W. Monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application to

JOHN C. SKEY, *Manager*,
Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

No percentage charged upon the tolls, but a charge of 10 per cent. will be made on all materials supplied, otherwise than by the Dock.

Docks.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS at the above Port afford every facility for Repairing and Securing Vessels, Cleaning and Painting Iron Ships, and Repair and Refit of

STEAM MACHINERY AND BOILERS.

Their large GRANITE DOCK is 307 feet in length, fitted with a Chinese Gate, and with a Centrifugal steam-pump of great power, enabling despatch in all states of the tides. At average spring tides this Dock can receive vessels drawing 16 to 17 feet, and during the Autumn and Winter Months, 18 feet. Their two smaller DOCKS, also built of Granite, can receive vessels drawing 12 to 13 feet.

The Premises comprise a large SMITHY and BOILER SHOP, CARPENTERS and DOAT-BUILDERS' SHOPS. An

ENGINEERS' WORKSHOP,

fitted with Lathes and other Tools driven by steam.

AN IRON FOUNDRY

for castings up to 5 Tons weight, and a BRASS FOUNDRY.

The different departments are superintended by experienced Europeans, viz.—ENGINEER, BOILERSMITH, and SHIPWRIGHT.

The Company keep on hand Copper and Metal Sheathing, Spars, Timber, Paints, for Iron Vessels, and all material for Dockyard use.

A DRY GODOWN for reception of stores of vessels requiring to discharge them.

Good Quarters for Officers of ships under repair.

For Terms apply at the Dock Office.

1f 2958 Amoy, 16th December, 1867.

ONE COPY of each of the following WORKS may be had by applying at the *Daily Press* Office:—

Epitome of Allison's History of England	$3.00
Crawford's Descriptive Beauty of India Islands	6.00
Index Geographicus	7.50
Palgrave's Australia, 2 vols	3.00
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ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS,
Entrance—Wellington Street.

DAVID BROWNE,
(LATE MANAGER OF THE ALBION HOTEL),

BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public that he has opened the above Bar and Bowling Alleys, and trusts by strict attention to Business, and the comfort of visitors, to merit a share of their patronage.

Iced Fancy Drinks of every Description.

N.B.—The above-named will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the late proprietors.

1f 236. Hongkong, 1st February, 1868.

J. FRISBY,

BUTCHER and FAMILY GROCER supplies every article from the Market for Family use, and has always on hand HORN SALTS (free from Saltpetre), such as ROUNDS, HUMPS, BRISKETS, TONGUES, Pork and Pigs' HEADS.

The above are of the best quality that can be procured.

SHOP, 33, *Praya east Central.*
BUTCHER'S STALL, 153, Central Market.

1f 2528 Hongkong, 2nd November, 1867.

WILH. LANGE,

TUNER AND REPAIRER of PIANOS, AND ALL KINDS OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Shelley Street, No. 14, next door to the Club Lusitano.

Letters, please address care of Messrs. BIRNFELD and ZACKARIAE, 88, *Queen's Road.*

1f 3052 Hongkong, 28th December, 1867.

GEORGE GLASSE,
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINSHOLD & Co., PICCADILLY, LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS).

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST AND DISPENSARY, VICTORIA, HONGKONG.

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REPLENISHED.

1f 2966 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned begs leave to present to the Genry of Hongkong his profound respects, and also to notify them that he is still at the corner of *Queen's Road and Peel Street*. He will only say that his ambition has ever been to be held a worthy member of that fraternity, those who have known him long will feel satisfied without any attempt at puffery on his part. Open from 7 A.M. to 8 P.M. for the reception of such as feel the necessity of Tonsorial operations.

W. P. MOORE,
Hair Dresser.

Shaving	25 cents.
Hair Cutting	50 "
Shampooing	50 "

Particular attention to cutting Razors.

1m 241 Hongkong, 5th February, 1868.

ALEX. ROYER, having engaged the Services of Mdlle. MARIE, lately with Messrs. H. MARSH & Co., is prepared to execute any orders for DRESSMAKING and MILLINERY, &c.

1f 3277 Hongkong, 15th October, 1867.

BUTCHER'S LIVERY STABLES.

HORSES received on Livery.

Carriages and Horses sold and bought on Commission.

Farriery, under careful supervision.

Carriages and Horses for Hire by the job, hour, day, week or month.

Harness and Saddlery repaired and renovated, a stock of London made being always on hand.

Horses broken to Saddle or Harness.

(J.R. will be happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services, on receiving instructions to that effect.)

Horses always on hand for Sale.

Rear of Messrs Barnhiss, Hongkong.

BARNARD WILSON & Co.
SHIP CHANDLERS AND GENERAL STORE-KEEPERS,
SHIPWRIGHTS, ENGINEERS, AND BLACKSMITHS,
MANILA.

Carpenters' and Blacksmiths' work done on more moderate terms than in China.

Every convenience for heaving down and repairing.

1f 1575 Manila, June 4th, 1867. [192]

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS.

PATERSON & HANDLEY,
House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters,
18, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, AND
Acheong's Yard, Praya West.

1f 2258 Hongkong, 1st October 1867.

W. M. SAIL-MAKER & Co.,
Duddell Street,
Opposite the French Consulate.

1f 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

JAPAN TIMES OVERLAND MAIL AND PACIFIC MAIL EXTRA.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. having been appointed Agents for the two above-named Newspapers, are prepared to receive orders and subscriptions for the same.

The price of the *Overland Mail*, is $12 per Annum, or for subscribers to the *Overland Mail*, and $6 to non-subscribers. Subscriptions are in all cases payable in advance, and no charge is made for postage.

1f 2816 Hongkong, 4th December, 1867.

DENTISTRY.

DR. R. H. WINN, a Graduate of one of the Oldest DENTAL COLLEGES in the United States, begs to announce to the Public of Hongkong that he has OPENED an OFFICE here, and will be happy to see all Persons desirous of his Services. Dr. WINN has spent over 8 years amongst the Japan, and is desirous of returning to Yokohama during the Winter Months of each year.

Office over Mrs. BONNETT'S Store, Up-stairs, entrance on *Wyndham Street.*

R. H. WINN, D.D.S.

1f 2658 Hongkong 19th November, 1867.

NOW READY.

THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION AND STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANT.

By Dr. DEVAN, with many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. WILLIAMS' Orthography.

Paper: In Paper Wrappers, ... $2.00
Neatly Bound, ... $2.50

Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.

UNDER DISPATCH.

For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta—Per *Lightning*, at 2 P.M. to-day, the 22nd inst.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta—Per *Chin Aline* to-day, the 22nd instant, at 2 P.M.

For Shanghai, Chefoo, and Tientsin—Per *United Service*, at 2 P.M. to-day.

For Manila—Per *Sainte Ann*, on Monday next, the 24th inst., at 5 P.M.

The Chronicle and Directory for 1868.

NOW READY.

THE Edition for 1868 is now ready for Delivery.

As already announced, the Directory is published in Two Forms, Complete at $5, or with the Lists of Residents and Port Directories only, at $3.

Agents for Shanghai and the Out-ports,—Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

The Daily Press Office,
19th January, 1868.

NOW READY

BOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE REPORT for the year 1867. Price $10.

Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.

Hongkong, 27th December, 1867.

The delivery of the *Daily Press* from the office commenced on Friday morning at 10½0, and the last messengers left the office at 10.45.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 22, 1868.

It begins to look very much as if we were to be involved in the civil war in Japan, and the prospect is not satisfactory. It is true that foreign nations come to the East—or, to discuss the matter on more convenient ground—that Great Britain comes, prepared to fight. Not, however, by any means for fighting's sake, or the sake of conquest—nor to acquire new territory for ourselves, nor to prevent our neighbours from acquiring new territory if they have a mind to, but "in the way of business" to do some to Asia. When we become involved in hostilities on our own account, that is a deplorable result. It may be indeed that other results would be much more deplorable. So much so, that we are hardly prepared to applaud the extremely pacific policy which has been adopted in all cases towards the Chinese Government during the last ten years, but it can only be to avoid a worse evil that Great Britain should *wear* gloves in Asia. Coming here in the way of business, we must not only deal fairly ourselves, but insist on fair dealing—if needs must, by means of touched ships—on the part of the people we trade with. That appeal to arms is the only appeal that Great Britain has in dealing with Oriental nations. Diplomacy has no weapon of defence, and Treaties cannot prevent conferences or procure the discharge of scientific notes against an obstructive Government, or bring any moral pressure to bear, unless by cocking its *pistols* and looking fierce. In this way it comes to pass inevitably that a perpetual undercurrent of warlike agitation is almost always going on wherever Great Britain comes in contact with Asiatic Governments; but it does not at all follow that the representatives of Great Britain should be ready on a small provocation to bring on actual warfare. There is only one cause for which we ought to fight in the East, according to the prevalent theory of our functions here—the cause, namely, of commercial progress. To accept commercial retrogression in preference to war, is to abandon everything—to prove false to the memory of those who have fallen in former wars, and to betray that higher mission in the world, which may be seen without much difficulty, in the diffusive instincts of the British race. But, to fight for anything except the vindication of our own acknowledged rights, or their legitimate development, is to justify those who accuse us of prostituting the sense of progress to territorial greed and a spirit of aggression.

In Japan it would seem that we are being sucked into a civil war, and taking sides before we know which we ought really to espouse. The outrages which were committed at Kobe seem to have been handsomely revenged on the spot by the two detachments of the 9th and the *Osaca's* marines. We do not say that we ought, consequently to cry quits with Prince Bizen, or shake hands with the Southern Confederation, as the Daimios in arms against Satchashi have rather pompously been called, but to make the whole Japanese people responsible indiscriminately for the act of the Bizen advance guard at Kobe, and to seize all Japanese vessels in the bay, seems to reveal a policy smelling rather too strongly of Pinarre. We cannot speak with a great deal of confidence, as yet, of events, which have not been fully described. Indeed, without the light of official despatches to guide us, it is difficult to feel convinced at any time that one grasps a political situation fully, and as we are all so near the seat of war and so deeply interested in what goes forward, we shall probably be kept in the dark to a great extent until the despatches from the British Legation, having reached home, and having been immediately communicated by the home Government to the public, return to this part of the world in the papers from London. However, we are most of us able to see now that British influence was not applied in the most intelligent way to the civil war of China, and it is not a wildly improbable thing that it will be misapplied in Japan. It is impossible not to feel apprehensive. The policy of Great Britain and of foreign nations generally in Japan just now, is clearly to keep out of the civil war as long as possible. No one understands the native politics of that country at present; the foreign Ministers not much better, one is led to suspect shrewdly, by the current of events, than the rest of the world. If they had not been successfully blindfolded, they would have been able to foresee something of this outbreak, but we find them settling down with festivals and good fellowship, regulations of trade and talk of land sales, just over the mine which was going to be sprung! They may have better means than other people of making guesses now and then as to what is going forward, but it is plain that they are not so intimately acquainted with the politics of the country to be able as yet to take sides in a civil war. If we take up our cause at random, we shall no doubt stick to it through thick and thin, possibly cutting our own throats all the while. Every consideration points to the propriety of waiting on events for the present, and there is no argument on the other side. We are even so strong in these waters just now that we need not mind for the moment about our *prestige*, that we should be, as a rule, so careful with. Never mind whether the Southern Confederation is frightened of us or not, whether the late Tycoon believes or disbelieves in our power. We have made a prodigious mistake at Osaka, and there is very little use in staying there just now. If the few pioneers who have collected there can shoulder their axes and trudge back again to Yokohama for ankle, that would unhoubtedly be best. With the fleet at command, there will be no difficulty in taking care of that settlement, at all events. From that point of observation, the development of intrigues now going on could be judiciously watched. The rival factions, if they did in any way apply to us for aid, could be impartially recommended to go in and win, and secured of our friendship in that gratifying event. There is nothing really ignominious in declining to contribute to the success of one or other party in a state when we know so little about the merits of the dispute. On the contrary, we should be adopting an ignominious, because an intensely stupid and pig-headed course, if we rush into the row and attack the first man we meet, before knowing whether he is in the right or wrong.

THE LATE EVENTS IN JAPAN.

It was not possible for us to do more yesterday than put together a few hurried lines in reference to the exciting news from Japan. We now proceed to reprint, from the *Hiogo and Osaka Herald*, the full details of what took place on the 4th of February, The following narrative relates to the outbreak committed on that day by the followers of Prince Bizen:

THE ATTACK ON FOREIGNERS AT KOBE.

Tuesday, the fourth day of February, A.D. 1868, some what will, must ever be a memorable day in the annals of Japan. For several weeks past a storm has been brewing—the political atmosphere, as to speak, was charged with explosive matter—treaty ports threatened, and everything was in a state of stagnation. Heda Yes, the *hereditary* Prince Bizen, applied the spark, there was an explosion, and sensibly the air is clearer already.

The morning of Tuesday last was a lovely one, even for Japan. About 9 o'clock saw a morning, preceded by some 150 men or so, passing along the Main Street. On inquiry, we were informed by a Japanese bystander, that the occupant of the carriage was Hiling Omura, a small Daimio from Nagasaki, on his way to Osaka. Nothing could be more peaceable than the demeanour of the Takonins composing this retinue; very different, however was the bearing of the man that appeared upon the scene.

Shortly after mid-day, a body of Japanese, also about 150 in number, well armed, with spears and rifles, and bearing with them several small brass field-pieces, entered Kobe from the direction of Hiogo. With them was a fine handsome-looking officer, well mounted and well on his face and attempted to get away on his hands and knees, but finding this a dangerously slow mode of progression, he got up and ran for his life. One of our staff, hearing the firing, ran out to the front of the office, and to his no small alarm, saw an elaborately attired Yakonin standing some thirty yards from him and deliberately potting at some foreigners who were running across the plain, whilst other Yakonins were falling out of the ranks and discharging their pieces. From the great clearness of the air, and the direction of the aim, he for one thought for the moment that the man near him was merely firing at the Foreign flags, by way of defiance. But on hearing that the Japanese had uncovered their spears, he knew too well that they meant blood, there being a law of Japan which makes it a capital offence to publicly expose a naked weapon without using it. So, remembering that discretion is the better part of valour, he ran with all speed to warn, as previously agreed upon in case of danger, some friends living on the beach.

Specially the news flew in every direction. At 1.30 P.M. the assembly sounded at the British Consulate, and the detachment of the Osaca marines, under Lieut. Bradshaw and Brace, turned out immediately and proceeded across the settlement at double time, when they separated into two parties. One, under Lieut. Brace, went down the main street, and the other, under Lieut. Bradshaw, proceeded along the Osaka road. After marching a couple of miles, they came in sight of a body of Japanese, who, as soon as they perceived they were followed, turned round and advanced a short distance. Meanwhile the 9th extended in skirmishing order and opened a brisk fire, whereupon the Japanese broke and scattered on both sides of the road, returning the fire for about five minutes; they then again broke into small parties and fled towards the mountains. The American and French marines were on the left of the 9th. The mounted escort, with Sir Harry Parkes at their head, galloped up to where the Japanese made their stand and captured three small field pieces.

Messrs. Robertson and Swatow, of H.B.M.'s Consulate, and Mr. Blake were with the last-mentioned party. There were but three volunteers with the 9th—Messrs. J. and R. Blackmore and Braga.

At the time the alarm was given, a number of the men on board the ironclad *Osaca* were scraping her sides. Down dropped the scrapers, and, without waiting to change his dress, each man seized his rifle, and in a wonderfully short time 80 marines under Captain Bridges and 40 seamen under Lieut. Cornwall were on shore. Joining a small party of 14 men from the U. S. S. *Oneida*, under Master Muldaur, having a brass field-piece, the *Osaca's* men started in pursuit. The writer, who accompanied this party, found the road strewed with baggage that had been hastily abandoned by its owners. Here was to be seen the equipage of the army surgeon, knives and saws and neatly enveloped packages of medicines. Further on were mats hats, and such was their haste, that some of them even left their sandals behind. After scattering about for several hours, the party returned to Kobe, without having met with the objects of their search.

The main body of Bizen's men who had remained at the other end of Kobe, made their escape about 3 o'clock on the following morning by the back streets to the neighbouring hills.

NOTIFICATION BY CHOSHIU.

The following notification seems to show that all the Daimios in arms against Satchashi are not bent on molesting foreigners:—

The fighting which took place yesterday does not involve any misfortune to the inhabitants, and, therefore, not even old people, women, and children need be frightened. The carrying off of property and living in the country is a great inconvenience to the sick and such persons, and you will therefore take care not to create any excitement of disliked. We have come down here to put down any disturbances, and you may therefore be free from anxiety.

CHOSHIU.

FOREIGN NOTIFICATIONS.

The following series of notifications were issued on the day after the attack by the foreign representatives:—

To day, as Heda Iss and Heiki Izewaki, retainers of Matsudaira, Bizen no Kami were proceeding through the town of Kobe, their followers, without provocation, attacked and wounded foreigners with spears and firearms. You must immediately come forward and explain this matter. If full reparation be not given, it will be assumed that you are the enemy of foreign nations, when we shall proceed to punish this outrage. It must be borne in mind that this matter will then concern not only the Bizen clan, but may cause grave trouble to the whole of Japan.

This declaration is made by all the Foreign Representatives.

In consequence of the outrage committed yesterday by Bizen's men, the foreign men-of-war have seized all the steamers owned by Japanese, anchored in the port of Hiogo. This is because, as stated in the declaration of the Foreign Ministers issued yesterday, the affair concerns not only the clan of Bizen, but all the clans throughout Japan.

Hiogo, 5th February, 1868.

In consequence of the outrage committed yesterday, the Foreign Powers are taking their own measures, but these measures do not affect either the townspeople or the villagers, who should carry on their avocations quietly and without excitement.

Hiogo, 5th February, 1868.

In consequence of the outrage committed yesterday by the retainers of Matsudaira Bizen no Kami, Foreign Powers have taken measures for the protection of the place. Still all peaceans, with the exception of men bearing arms or carrying swords, will be allowed to pass through freely.

Hiogo, 5th February, 1868.

(Copy.)

Memorandum by the naval commanders, circulated for the information of British subjects by Her Majesty's Acting Consul—

NOTIFICATION.

In the event of a night attack, all Foreigners who are provided with arms should rally together with the guard in the main street, and be guided by the officer in command of the guard as to their future movements; those who have no arms should retire to the concession ground by the beach.

It would be far preferable, however, that they should form an organized body together, and have a separate rallying point at the concession ground, should they determine so to do. The undersigned would be ready to assist in the formation thereof.

Signed by all the Naval Commanders.

(Signed) FRED. LOWDER,
H. B. M's Acting Consul.

Hiogo, 6th February, 1868.

THE COMMUNICATION FROM THE MIKADO.

The following passages relate to the arrival of a friendly envoy from the Mikado:—

An Envoy of the Mikado arrived at Hiogo yesterday, charged with the delivery of a message from the Sovereign to the Foreign Representatives. He was received by them to-day shortly after noon, and it has transpired that he was commissioned to make the announcement that a Government, under the direction of the Mikado, has been established in place of that hitherto conducted by the Tycoon. He appears also to have given satisfactory assurances of the efficiency and good disposition of this Government towards foreigners, if we may judge by the steps which we observe are already in progress for withdrawing the foreign fleet from the ships of war for the protection of the settlement, consequent on the outrageous attack of the men of Bizen on the 4th inst. It now remains to be seen whether the new power can exercise a more trenchant control over audacious offenders of this class than the Tycoon was able to wield. It is indeed to be hoped that the leading Daimios and other influential men of Japan are now becoming convinced of the necessity of seeing a Government constituted upon a basis that shall attract the general approval of the country, and with power sufficient to preserve unity and order throughout its whole extent. The attack to which we have recently been exposed shows how perilous, on the one hand, to the peace of Japan from need of a strong hand to preserve the foreign relations, and its people from the violences to which they must always be a prey so long as ruffians of the Bizen type are allowed to stalk through the land in armed gangs, shooting and murdering at their caprice whoever may happen to offer them some imaginary affront.

Since writing the above, we have heard that the following orders have been issued by the Mikado's Envoy. We can only hope that they will be faithfully executed:—

(Copy.)

[The Mikado] being of opinion that the question of foreign intercourse is one of the greatest importance, and that [the preservation of] good faith is the foundation of everything, you must therefore be particularly careful that no indecent or lawless conduct is observed towards foreigners by those passing through this place.

(Signed) HIGASHI KUZE-NO-SHOSHO.
To CHOSHIU and SATSUMA.

February 8th, 1868.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS FROM OSAKA.

From the Hiogo paper already quoted we take the following items of news. The paper is dated February 8th:—

On Sunday we heard that a number of Choshiu's troops (some 500 or so) had arrived at Hiogo. Yesterday we were informed by a trustworthy Japanese, whom we sent to reconnoitre, that, in addition to the above, large numbers of Satsuma's, Tosa's, and Aoa's men had also arrived at Hiogo, and that much excitement appeared to prevail amongst them. Several officials of high rank, *kerais* and others, are with the soldiers.

Kobe is for the time being a free port, all the Custom-house officials having cleared out. On Sunday last the following formal notification was issued by the late Governor of Hiogo:—

HIOGO, 3rd February, 1868.

To F. LOWDER, Esq.,
H. B. M's Acting Consul.

Hearing of the troubled state of affairs in this place, and on enquiring into the cause, I have ascertained that some actions is intended against my Government, and that my remaining here would be attended with danger, I have determined therefore, in order to avert any such, to withdraw from this place for a short time, but for convenience of business, have appointed officers to act in the place vacated by me. I had other matters about which I wished to speak to you at a later date, but for the present am desirous of acquainting you with the above.

With, &c.,
SHIBATA HIGAKO-NO-KAMI.

(Signed)
Translated by (Signed) RUSSELL ROBERTSON.

On the following day, the late Governor and the Vice Governor, Mouryama (whose name is so well known to all readers of the later history of Japan), accompanied by about one hundred and eighty Takonins and attendants, left the Yedo. To effect their removal, the Sir, *Osaka* was chartered, and a deputation from the Foreign Representatives, in the person of Messrs. Swatow and Blake, proceeded to Hiogo, and there found on board of her, the second taken was the *Saitsia Maru*, belonging to Prince Kurume; on board her they found only six men, to whom Messrs. Robertson and Swatow intended to do. The next captured was the Prince Gwajima's steamer, the *Ayeshiro Lass*; two or three men only were on board of her at the time. The fourth and last vessel seized was a steamer, name and owner unknown; she was entirely deserted.

NEWS FROM THE NORTH.

(From the "N. C. Herald.")

SHANGHAI, 15th February, 1868.

A meeting of the Race Club has been held, at which the accounts were produced and passed. About Tls. 1,600 remained in hand, which will be nearly absorbed by payment of two years' interest on a debt of Tls. 5,000 due to Mr. Keswick, under mortgage of the Grand Stand. Messrs. Horsburgh, Major Grossmann, Messrs. Houstoun, Probst, Forbes, MacDonald and Dallas were elected stewards for the ensuing year.

A very thinly attended meeting of Church subscribers and pew-renters was held on Saturday, at which the reports of the Architect and Trustees and the Treasurer's accounts were read and accepted; a subscription is to be raised to make good the deficiency in the Church income.

The interest of the working plant of the Shanghai Dock Company has been sold by auction for Tls. 1,000.—The Government has entered on possession of the premises.

A plot of land, with buildings, situate below the Old Dock, has been sold at auction for Tls. 3,100.

A collision, resulting in damage and loss of life, occurred on Wednesday the 12th between the *Alva* and *Sir Jamsetjee Family*, which is moored alongside Augustine Heard's wharf. The *Alva* was passing it on the river at the same time as the hulk *Acorn*, which was being towed to her new anchorage off the Shanghai wharf, by the *Retard*. In endeavouring to avoid the latter and the U.S. Steamer *Schuyler*, which is moored in an exceedingly inconvenient position, the *Alva* was swept by the current into the *Sir Jamsetjee Family*, crushing several boats and carrying it in forward, the loss of several lives. The *Alva* lost her foretopgallant mast, and carried away the *Jamsetjee's* mizzen-gall and main yards.

Supreme Court, February 21st.

BEFORE CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALLEY.

The February Criminal Sessions were commenced yesterday morning at about 10 o'clock. The following Jury were called and sworn:—T. Collin, E. Farrell, F. Pereira, G. Chille, E. Wheely, G. Agabeg and J. Aldmann.

LARCENY.

Wong-a-chew was first placed at the bar, charged with having stolen from his master, Mahomed Arab, a watch and chain, some money and one-cheong to Canton merchant.

On the night of the 12th of last September, Mahomed Arab left his house, in which the prisoner was in the room in charge of prisoner. There was in the room a small box, containing all this property, which was locked, and prosecutor had taken the key with him. When he returned to his room next morning, he found the box broken open, the property gone and the prisoner his servant, not to be found. On the 21st of January, Ashong, another servant in Mahomed's employ, saw the prisoner entering the Coss-house in Holly-road. He went and told his master, who therefore got a police constable and went to the Coss-house, and there caught the prisoner. He some begged hard to be let off, and offered to give back the watch, but he was taken in charge to the Central Station.

The prisoner denied the charge, and said he nothing of the robbery of these things. The jury however immediately returned a verdict of guilty, and prisoner was sentenced to hard labour for two years. His Lordship remarked that he was afraid he was not giving sufficient punishment, but he took into consideration, the great temptation placed in prisoner's way by his master, and the fact that so far as he knew prisoner had never before been guilty of any crime.

ANOTHER LARCENY.

Sit-a-teong, was next placed at the bar, charged with having stolen from one Look-san several boxes of clothing, valued at about $200, in a junk called the *Sung-ng-fat*, in January last. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. From the evidence for the prosecution, it appears that Look-san took passage in this junk from Foochow, bound for Hongkong. The amount of the passage money was $4.00, two of which were paid on the passage being engaged, and the remaining two were to be paid on the arrival of the junk here, and the passenger leaving with his luggage. The junk duly arrived in the *Sye-ng-tsoon* Pass on the 5th of January, and Look-san went on shore, promising to return in a few days and pay the rest of his passage money, together with some debts for previous &c., supplied on the voyage. Before leaving he gave his luggage into the hands of the prisoner, who was the supercargo to take charge of for him. After the lapse of a number of days Look-san went on board the junk, when on asking for his boxes and luggage, a man named A-sam, one of the crew, gave him three pawn tickets, and said that the prisoner had pawned his clothes in order to recover the amount due him. "Here were the pawn tickets and you can get his clothes back." Look-san came he could get his clothes back." Look-san came on shore, and immediately communicated with the police, and through them the prisoner was arrested, and the boxes recovered from the pawn shops, where they had been pawned. On examining the boxes, they were found to be broken open, and clothing to the amount of $200 was missing.

In defence, prisoner stated that Look-san when he arrived here, was indebted to him to the amount of nearly $6.00 for his passage, provisions, &c. On leaving the junk, he said to prisoner, that he would leave his luggage in security for his indebtedness, and that if he did not return and pay the money, the prisoner could pawn his clothes. Look-san did not return for a number of days, and prisoner accordingly took the clothes ashore in order to realize on them and repay himself. He took them to a pawn shop, and afterward gave the tickets to the man A-sam, who was to return them to Look-san when he should turn up. He called two witnesses, one the captain of the junk who supported this statement, and another the master of a large Chinese hong, who had produced prisoner when he was demanded by the police.

At the close of the evidence for both sides the Attorney-General briefly addressed the jury. He would be unwilling to see any prisoner in this manner dispose of goods left in his charge as security. Beside the boxes were not at the complainant had left them, although the amount $200 being missing and this in itself constituted felony. The Chief-Justice charged the jury strongly in favour of the prisoner, and after only a short consultation a verdict of "Not guilty" was returned. The prisoner was accordingly discharged.

This concluded the business of the day, and the Court was adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Hongkong, Friday Evening.

The Drug market remains very quiet, and but a small amount of business has to be reported at $700 to $702 for New Patna, and $685, for New Benares. Old Patna and Benares $685, for New Benares. Old Patna and Benares nominally quoted $680. Malwa has been placed at $725, to the natives on credit terms. The market closes weak for all descriptions of Opium.

There has been some little inquiry in the market for piece goods to-day, but the wholesale demand continues of a very limited extent, shows the market weaker than ever. Instead of importers making a stand against any further concession on their part, the thermometer is still going down, and lower prices are obtained. So far as this mental funk among the foreign importers continues, the tone of the market cannot be expected to improve. Meanwhile the natives will take advantage of this condition of affairs and secure, at the expense of the terrified importer, what goods they may require, for the present, at least. There is no reason why the market should decline a farthing further, than the one above stated, and there is abundant proof that the trade is quite prepared to buy freely to replenish the market. Sales reported to-day include 1,000 pieces 10lbs. Grey Shirtings at $5, 1,500 pieces 8¼lbs. at $3.75, 17 bales 10¼ Cotton Yarn at $11, 1,000 pieces 7lbs. T-Cloth at $2.22, 3,600 pieces White Shirtings, 34 and 36 yard at $3. The Yarn above mentioned is a bulk purchased parcel. The highest numbers being out. There is not much doing in Raw Cotton; sales embrace 100 bales Bombay Staple at 24 to 15.50, and 235 bales Bengal at 14½ to 15½. Twelves is rather wanted, and not much offering for the present. The first vessel boarded was a Sugar at $6.80, 200 quarter-sacks of Flour at $4.30, 300 piculs Green Tea at $2.03, and 4 $4.63,300 piculs Green Tea at $88.50. There has been some business doing in shares. A small lot of Old Bank have been done at 8 per cent. premium, and there are sellers of New at 1 per cent. premium, a few Steamboat Shares have been placed at 10 per cent. discount. Two China Traders at $125 premium each, and Three at $100 premium each, there are further buyers at

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EXPORT CARGOES.

Per Ajax, for London—	
Tea, black	72,278 lbs.
Waste Silk	140 bales.
Star Anise	500 boxes.
Cassia Buds	55 cases.
Essential Oils	910 "
Soy	30 casks.
Camphor	1,076 boxes.
Gamboges	25 pkgs.
Ginger	250 cases.
Matting	50 casks.
Cinnamon	403 rolls.
Rice	62 boxes.
Sundries	35,000 bags.
Per Singapore, 100 tons and $113,500 Treasure.	400 pkgs.
For Marseilles, 25 tons.	
Per Fusee Guthrie, for San Francisco—	
28,105 Bags Rice at 50 lbs., 10,605 piculs.	
50 Bundles Rattans.	
3,550 Packages Merchandise.	
50 " Tea.	
500 " Firecrackers.	
1,179 Boxes Oil.	
320 Rolls Matting.	
232 Empty Quicksilver Flasks.	

SALES ON FEBRUARY 21ST, 1868.

As reported by Chinese.

Turkey Red Shirtings, 1000 pieces, at $2.60, by Borneo Co. Limited to Kowloung.

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Yellow Wax, 4 cases, at $88.50, by Parsee merchant to Fook-shing-loung.

Vermicelli, 50 bales, at $8.80, by Wo-fat to trading merchant.

White Sugar, 600 bales, at $6.80, by Benmjee & Co. to Yuen-loong.

Bengal Cotton, 100 bales, at $14.10, by Abdollify & Co. to Tuen-shing.

Bengal Cotton, 41 bales, at $17.50, by Nowrojee & Co. to Man-hing.

Vermicelli, 50 bales, at 28.50, by Wo-fat to Batchan merchant.

Grey Shirtings, 1,000 pieces, at $4.10, by Taiwo to Mi-loong.

Wheat Flour, 200 bags, at $1.83, by Kwong-sue-cheong to Canton merchant.

Shirtings, 600 pieces, at $2.40, by Parsee merchant by retail.

Whitaud, 20 piculs, at $4.00, by Yuen-loong to Batchan merchant.

Green Peas, 300 piculs, at $2.02, by Man-shing to Yuet-loong.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPT.

Hongkong, February 21st.

OPIUM.—Patna, Cash, new, $692 to $695, old, $675; Benares, Cash, new, $682 to $685, old, $675, sales.

Malwa, Cash, $715 to $735, quoted.

On time, Patna, new, $692 to $695; old, $677 to $682, sales.

Bad Sales Patna, nothing done, market with downward tendency.

COTTON.—Japan, none; Ningpo, none; Shanghai, &c., $18 to $24; Bengal, $15 to $21; Bombay, $16 to $22, sales.

RICE.—Bengal and Manila, none; Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $1.45 to $2, sales.

EXCHANGE.—Bank Bills on Calcutta at 3 days' sight, 219½ Rs., sales. On Bombay at 3 days' sight, 219 Rs., sales. On London at 6 months' sight, 4/3, freely offered.

GOLD LEAF.—$23.00 to $23.70, sales.

SUGAR.—91 per cent. premium, none; Bar Silver, 11 per cent. premium, offered.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co.'s Shares, 6 per cent. premium old, ½ per cent. premium new ex dividend quoted.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.'s Shares, 22 per cent. premium, old; 12 per cent. premium new, quoted.

Hongkong Gas Co.'s Shares,—$10 per Share ($100) quoted.

Union Dock Company's Shares.—20 per cent. discount, quoted.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamer Co.'s Shares.—10 per cent. discount, quoted.

China Traders' Insurance Co.'s Shares,—$100 per share premium, quoted.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, 15th February, 1868. [tf 356

MR. BURJORJEE ARDASIR is authorized to sign my name from this date.

P. A. SETTA.

[tf 329 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

NOTICE.

MR. EMIL VOGEL and Mr. HEINRICH HAGEDORN become this day partners in our Business, which in future will be carried on under the Firm of

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

both here and at Canton.

HAGEDORN & Co.

2m 302 Hongkong, 12th February, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. R. R. PETERSEN in our Firm ceased on the 31st December ultimo.

PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.

Hongkong and Swatow.

11th February, 1868. [1m 286

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. T. KRUMMENACHER in our Firm ceased on the 31st December, 1867.

SANDER & Co.

1m 221 Hongkong, 3rd February, 1868.

I HAVE this day established myself in Business as Merchant and Commission Agent under the style or Firm of KHAREE MAHOMED & Co.

KHAREE MAHOMED KUTCHRA.

1m 209 Hongkong, 1st February, 1868.

MR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration, from this date.

DEACON & Co.

tf 213 Canton, 1st February, 1868.

NOTICE.

DURING the absence of Mr. JOHN R. LADD from the Colony, Mr. T. CUSHING LADD is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration.

LADD & Co.

tf 122 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

NOTICE.

MY BUSINESS, as SHIP and INSURANCE BROKER, COMMISSION AGENT, &c., hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.

J. S. HOOK.

tf 2176 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1867.

MR. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

BILLEY & Co.

tf 9 Hongkong, 1st January, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. G. JAMESON, in our firm, ceased on the 30th September last.

The business will in future be carried on by Mr. Z. BARTON, under the name or style of JAMESON & BARTON, as heretofore.

JAMESON & BARTON.

2m 14 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1868.

FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE E. BOWMAN will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.

S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.

tf 1899 Hongkong, 15th August, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that the interest and responsibility of Mr. GEORGE FAWCETT, as Administrator of the Estate and Effects of JOHN FRANCIS FAWCETT, deceased, in the business of a Shipchandler and General Storekeeper, lately carried on by the said JOHN FRANCIS FAWCETT, at Victoria, Hongkong, ceased on the First day of January last, and that Mr. JAMES WILLIAM FERBOS has purchased the said business, and will in future carry on the same under the style or firm of "FAWCETT AND COMPANY."

Dated the First day of January, 1867.

G. FALCONER,
Administrator of the Estate and Effects of JOHN FRANCIS FAWCETT, deceased.

J. W. FERBOS.

tf 1073 Hongkong 26th August, 1867.

I HAVE this day established myself in Business as a Commission Agent at Kobe (Hiogo), and Osaka.

WALTER MOURIYAN.

1m 228 Kobe, 1st January, 1868.

WE have established a branch at Hiogo and Osaka, for the transaction of a General Commission business.

SCHULTZE, BEIS & Co.

Yokohama, 1st January, 1868. [1m 86

I HAVE established myself at this port as a GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the style and firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co.

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

Saigon, 20th December, 1867. [tf 50

MY Interest in the Firm of Messrs. FARRADAO & Co. having ceased on 31st December last, I have this day established myself at this port, as Merchant and Commission Agent, under the Firm of KRUGER & Co.

CASAR KRUGER.

3m 33 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORSTER and Co., Public Auctioneers and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.

EDWARD W. LOVELL.

tf 1208 Kiukiang, May 1st, 1866. [1ll

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established a Firm at Osaka and Kobe (Hiogo), under the style of BROWN & Co.

H. ST. J. BROWN.

Japan, 1st January, 1868. [3m 17

MESSRS. H. P. M. WACHTELS and H. ALPHE. ORTMANS ceased to be Partners in our Firm since the 31st December ultimo.

GATMANS & Co.

2m 3 Nagasaki, 1st January, 1868.

OUR Power of Attorney to Mr. JAMES GOODRICH having been Cancelled, Mr. CHARLES BELDEN WARNER is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration.

BEALDEY & Co.

tf 2874 Swatow, 4th December, 1867.

NOTICE.

WE have this day admitted Mr. CRAWFORD DAVISON KERR, Jun., as a partner in our Firm in Bangkok. Mr. S. GODFREY BLAND ceases to sign the Firm per procuration from this date.

DODD & Co.

tf 231 Tamsui, 1st January, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALEXANDER BOSS JOHNSTON in our firm ceased on 31st ultimo.

TAIT & Co.

2m 10 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. W. A. STEWART in our firm ceased yesterday, by lapse of time.

BOYD & Co.

3m 11 Amoy, 1st January, 1868.

MALVERN COLLEGE.

PRESIDENT AND VISITOR.
THE LORD BISHOP OF WORCESTER.

TEAM MASTER.
THE REV. ARTHUR FABER, M.A.
Late Fellow and Tutor of New College, Oxford.

ASSISTANT MASTERS.

Rev. C. M'DONALD, M.A., University College, Oxford.
Rev. F. R. OGILVY, M.A., Sid. Sex. College, Cambridge.
Rev. W. H. MADDOCK, M.A., St. John's College, Oxford.
Rev. H. REDD, M.A., St. John's College, Cambridge.
Rev. A. SEWARD, B.A., New College, Oxford.
&c. &c. &c.

This College is conducted on the Model of the Great Public Schools.

The Sons of Gentlemen are Educated at a moderate cost, and the Pupils are Prepared for Oxford or Cambridge, and for all Military and Civil Service Examinations.

There are Scholarships of Considerable Value attached to the College, to be held either in the College or at the Universities.

The Pupils, if not resident in Malvern, are boarded with the Assistant Masters, subject to the approval of the Head Master.

Terms for Tuition, £35 per Annum in Preparatory, and £31 per Annum in Sem-Preparatory. For Board at Masters' Houses, £20.

Full information on application to Henry Alsop, Esq., the Secretary, and Prospectuses can be obtained of the Agents of Messrs. SMITH, ELDER & Co., 65 Mount Grindlay & Co., in either of the Presidencies. [1y26

BRIGHT CHARCOAL IRON WIRE,
STAR BRAND,
TO BE HAD OUT OF
HEINTZMANN AND ROCHUSSEN,
23, *Abchurch Lane*,
LONDON.

[Dec 22
1y 2075]

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

THE steamer

"MANCHU,"

Capt. Clark, will be dispatched as above at Noon THIS DAY, the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 337 Hongkong, 21st February, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE British Steamship

"LIGHTNING,"

Capt. D. Rodger, will be dispatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 22nd instant, at 2 P.M. Dispatches to close at 1 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents.

100 298 Hongkong, 12th February, 1868.

FOR LONDON.

THE Fine A 1 British Clipper Lorcha

"MONKCHESTER,"

will have quick dispatch, having superior accommodation for a few first-class passengers.

Apply to the Captain on board, or to

OLYPHANT & Co.

1m 347 Hongkong, 19th February, 1868.

FOR SAIGON.

THE French ship

"LOMBARD,"

Capt. Gignoux, will be dispatched for the above port on the 22nd instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

REINYAAN BROTHERS & Co.

4d 349 Hongkong, 19th February, 1868.

FOR LONDON.

THE A 1 British ship

"CHASZKA,"

856 Tons Register, will load at Whampoa. For freight apply to Messrs. DEACON & Co., Canton, or to the Undersigned here.

TURNER & Co.

tf 319 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

FOR SAIGON.

THE A 1 French Schooner

"HELENE,"

Mayeville, Master, will have immediate dispatch, and takes cargo at cheap rates. Apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co.

tf 310 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY.

THE A 1 French Clipper-barque

"OCEAN,"

Capt. Hughes, will have early dispatch as above. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 299 Hongkong, 13th February, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE British ship

"CHELSEA,"

907 Tons Register, Lowe, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BOSSTAN & Co.

tf 270 Hongkong, 11th February, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE Hamburg Barque

"CERES,"

Lorenzen, Master, 488 Tons Register, will load at Whampoa for the above Port only has room for a limited amount of cargo; for which apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 42 Hongkong, 8th January, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 French barque

"ARC EN CIEL,"

Capt. Lapparillent, of 5,000 piculs carrying capacity. (Daily expected at Macao from Saigon). Apply to

REINYAAN BROTHERS & Co.
Agents for Arc en Ciel.

tf 348 Hongkong, 10th February, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
(Alternate preferred).

THE A 1 British Clipper barque

"CEARA SAYERS,"

J. Brownlee, Master, built by Hall, Aberdeen, 296 Tons Register. Apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co.

tf 336 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 British ship

"NEVILLE,"

715 Tons Register. Apply to

TURNER & Co.

tf 325 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

"STAG" HOTEL,
Queen's Road.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,
PROPRIETOR.

ON SALE, just landed, ex *Red Riding Hood*.
BASS' BEER in Pints and Quarts.
BARCLAY'S PORTER in Pints and Quarts.
Bottled Porter by Swinton & Sanders.
BASS' BEER in Kilderkins.
BASS' BEER in Hogsheads.
BARCLAY'S PORTER in Hogsheads.
BOOTH'S OLD TOM.
Prime YORK HAMS.
EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Importer.

"Stag" Hotel Stores.

tf 2911 Hongkong, 10th December, 1867.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just received for Sale.

A FEW BIRMING-KINS.

141 308 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

MISS ROSE has received ex *Chaumie*, and *Late* English Mail, a large and well selected Assortment of—

Ladies BONNETS, Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, FLOWERS and FEATHERS, HEAD DRESSES, Paplina BELTS, &c., &c.

Lace SHAWLS, Velvet and Silk MANTLES.

Moire Antique, Silk, and Fancy DRESSES.

Dress and Mantle TRIMMINGS, HOSIERY, &c.

Ladies and Gentlemen's KID GLOVES, BOOTS, &c., &c.

Madame A PHONS, Ribbon, Tassels, &c.

All the newest fashions in Christy's HATS, Drab, Shell, Soft and Hard CROWN FELTS.

Glengarry, Balmoral and Alma HATS.

Children's Ditto, in Cloth and Velvet.

WELLINGTON STREET,
(OPPOSITE THE CATHOLIC CHURCH).

tf 209 Hongkong, 14th February, 1868.

EX AVON AND HIR LANCELOT.

CHAMPAGNE, First Quality, in Pints and Quarts. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co.

1m 329 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

PICKLED MACKEREL, in Kits.
FRESH LANDED.
Ex P. M. Steamer *China*.
Smoked SALMON, by the Pound.
do. BEEF, do.
OREGON CIDER, in 1 dozen Cases.
HOMINY, in 10 lbs. Tins.
CORN MEAL, do.
SALAD DRESSING, in Bottles.

THOS. HUNT & Co.

1m 302 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

COAL AT NINGPO.

STEAMERS can be supplied with COAL under Shanghai prices. A supply always on hand.

DAVIDSON & Co.

tf 80 Ningpo, 8th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

FINE Copenhagen BUTTER, in Tins of 28 lbs. each, and by the pound.
Prime Dutch HERRINGS, in Tins of 2 dozen.
ANCHOVIES. At

FREEKS, RODATZ & Co.

tf 191 Hongkong, 29th January, 1868.

EX SIR LAUNCELOT.

BOOTS, from Burrows of Cockham, for Ladies, Gentlemen, and Children.
HATS and HELMETS, from Elwood and Christy.

Also.

KID GLOVES, LISLE THREAD and COTTON SOCKS, all the new shape COLLARS, BUREKA SHIRTS, GABRIO HANDKERCHIEFS, Light Summer TWEEDS and FLANNELS, Turkish Bath TOWELS, Bath SPONGES, Hendrie's Choice PERFUMES, &c., &c., &c.

H. W. BAKER & Co.

194 275 Hongkong, 10th February, 1868.

Vessels Loading.

Destination	Vessel's Name	Captain	At	For Freight Apply to	To be Dispatched
LONDON	Chaskra		Hongkong	Turner & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Mönkchester		Hongkong	Olyphant & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NEW YORK	Ceres	Lorenzen	Hongkong	Olyphant & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Hugues		Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Ocean	Lowe	Hongkong	Bossman & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE	Chelsea	Wm. Whyte	Hongkong	Rozario & Co.	Quick dispatch.
MANILA	Onward		Hongkong	Remedios & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA	Villa de Rivadabia	Castillo	Hongkong	C.M.I. Universion & Co.	To-day, at 3 P.M.
SAIGON	Lightning (str.)	D. Rodger	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Helene	Meyville	Hongkong	Carlowitz & Co.	To-day, the 22nd instant.
AMOY AND FOOCHOW	Leonlard	Gignoux	Hongkong	Reynaan Brothers & Co.	To-day, at Noon.
Do.	Manchu (str.)	Clark	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	To-day, at Noon.

For Sale.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
LINEN DRAPERS, SILK MERCERS,
HABERDASHERS, TAILORS,
AND
GENERAL OUTFITTERS,

Have pleasure in announcing to their Customers that their AUTUMN and WINTER STOCKS are now complete, forming the largest they have ever offered.

SAYLE & Co. would call particular attention to the undermentioned Departments, viz.—

FURNISHING
FELT TAPESTRY AND BRUSSELS
CARPETS,
HEARTH-RUGS,
WOOL AND COCOA MATS,
FLOOR-CLOTHS, &c.
ALL WOOL DAMASKS AND REPS,
CURTAIN AND FURNITURE CORDS
TRIMMINGS, &c.
MUSLIN AND LACE WINDOW
CURTAINS.
PRINTED AND EMBROIDERED
TABLE-COVERS.
DAMASK NAPKINS AND CLOTHS,
in all sizes.
COTTON AND LINEN SHEETINGS,
in every width.
HUCKABACK & TURKISH TOWELS.

HOSIERY.
COTTON, LISLE, SILK, MERINO,
AND LAMBSWOOL SOCKS.
MERINO AND LAMBSWOOL VESTS
AND PANTS.
LONG-CLOTH AND CRIMEAN SHIRTS
PAJAMAS, &c.
SILK AND CAMBRIC POCKET
HANDKERCHIEFS.
SCARVES, TIES, AND COLLARS,
of the newest styles.
LARGE SIZE RAILWAY RUGS,
MAUD SCARVES, &c.

HATS.
GENTS' DRAB AND BLACK
SHELL HATS
BLACK PARIS AND DRAB BEAVER
DRESS HATS.
BLACK AND DRAB FELT HATS,
the latest shapes.
TWEED & CLOTH TRAVELLING HATS
SCOTCH CAPS, &c.

TAILORING.

The Tailoring and Cloth Departments are well supplied with

BLACK AND BLUE BROAD CLOTHS
AND DOESKINS.
NAVAL AND MILITARY CLOTHS.
WHITNEYS, BEAVERS, MELTONS, &c.
FANCY DOESKINS, BUCKSKINS.
TWEEDS, DEDFORD CORDS.
FANCY VESTINGS, &c., &c.

Gentlemen may rely upon a perfect fit in the shortest possible time.

WALKING-STICKS, SILK UMBRELLAS
CAPS, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c.

tf 2104 Hongkong, 25th September, 1867

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and PORTER.

DAVID CORSAR & SONS'
Merchant Navy
Navy Bullet
Long Flax
CANVAS.
Crown

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

tf 1130 Hongkong, 11th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.

CHAMPAGNE, ADOLPHE COLLET'S and L. JAUNAY & Co.'s Association Vinicole.
CLARET, Red CHATEAU MARGAUX.
Do. HAUT BRION.
Do. L'ESPARRE DUROG.
BRANDY, HENNESSY'S and MARTELL'S, in 1 dozen Cases.
BEER and PORTER, in Bottle.
BUTTER, (PLATT'S) in Kegs.

Also.

A quantity of IRON COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/23 cost, with NAILS. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 2303 Hongkong, 15th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

100 Barrels PRIME PORK. 100 Barrels MESS BEEF. Apply to

SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

tf 59 Hongkong, 10th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THE desirable PROPERTY on *Queen's Road*, lately occupied by Messrs. SMITH, KERSHEY & Co.

For particulars, apply to

SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

tf 2032 Hongkong, 10th December, 1867.

A SMALL Printing and Lithographic PRESS, with all requisites and fittings, COPPER DYE for Photographers, &c., &c. Very complete and useful, and will be sold cheap.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 136 Hongkong, 20th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

AT the *West Point* FOUNDRY and MACHINE SHOP, SHEET COPPER, 33 by 60 by 4 and 5.
STEAM and VACUUM GUAGES.
GUAGE GLASSES, all sizes.
SALINOMETERS.
BAR and ANGLE IRON of sizes.
LOWSON and THORNYCROFT BOILER IRON PLATES.

1 Pair of CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS, suitable for Dock purposes.

HALBGWORTH & Co.

tf 2339 Hongkong, 6th November, 1867.

HOSTETTER, SMITH AND DEAN,
IMPORTERS OF
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
ACIDS, DYE STUFFS,
PROPRIETARY MEDICINES,
DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, PERFUMERY,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
Pacific Depot for
HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,
San Francisco,
California.

San Francisco, 4th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.

150 Cases Martinez' AROMATIC BITTERS, superior quality.
100 Cases SHERRY.
100 Cases PORT.

MULLER & GLAUSSEN.

tf 86 Hongkong, 14th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, complete.

MULLER & GLAUSSEN.

tf 87 Hongkong, 14th January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ'S YELLOW METAL, 20/22 cost, and NAILS. Apply to

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1408 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
Ex *The Tweed, Albert Victor* and late Arrivals.

RUBBER and CANVAS LEADING HOSE.
TUCK'S RUBBER PACKING.
ENGINE BELTING, RIGGING SCREWS,
POLICE HOOKS, ASSORTED FILES,
ENGINEERS HAMMERS,
FORGES, and VICES.
T. and D. Henry's fast quality
CANVAS: and R. & R. RUE'S LINING.
BEST MERCHANT NAVY CANVAS.
REPAIRING CANVAS.
HEMP PACKING, WICKING.
HEMP and COTTON TWINES.
YORK HAMS, CHEDDAR CHEESE,
CORN-MEAL, ROMINY.
Also, a fine invoice of
TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY.

THOS. HUNT & Co.

1m 467 Hongkong, 23rd January, 1868.

FOR SALE.

COPPER SHEATHING, from 16 to 28 oz. with NAILS.

THOS. HUNT & Co.

1m 279 Hongkong, 27th January, 1868.

CHRISTMAS STORES,
Ex *Graham, Chariot*, and to arrive ex *The Tweed*.

FOR SALE.

FINE BLOOM MUSCATELS, in 7 lb. Boxes.
Fine MUSCATELS and ALMONDS, in 2 lbs. Bottles.
Fine ZANTE CURRANTS, in 2, 4 and 7 lbs. Packages.
Fine PUDDING RAISINS, in 2 lbs. Bottles.
MINCE MEAT, CANDIED PEEL, PLUM PUDDINGS.
Preserved OX TONGUES, in Tin, Spiced or Pickled.
JAMS, JELLIES, Potted MEATS, GAME, &c., &c.
HAMS, CHEESE, BUTTER, BACON,
SAUCES, CAPERS, PICKLES, PIE FRUITS, TART FRUITS, NO BROOMS, MACCARONI, VERMICELLI, Oxford and Cambridge SAUSAGES.
Fine Crystallized Loaf and Crushed SUGAR.
And an assortment of other GOODS.

LIQUORS.

Very Superior CHAMPAGNE of the finest quality.
Fine Creamy OLD PORT, very superior.
Fine Pale SHERRY, Old HENNESSY Pale BRANDY, Old Tom GIN, Prime Scotch WHISKEY, Old Jamaica RUM, Orange and Aromatic BITTERS.
Very Superior Dinner and Breakfast CLARET.
Bass's and Allsopp's PALE ALE, in Pints and Quarts.
GUINNESS and BARCLAY'S STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
The whole of the above for sale, at the most reasonable terms. Apply to

FAWCETT & Co.

tf 2912 Hongkong, 16th December, 1867.

FOR SALE.
By late arrivals direct from France.

250 CASES Superfine OLIVE OIL, from NICE, Pints.
200 Cases Best quality of VERMOUTH NOIRE, Pints.
60 Cases ABSYNTH, PERLE PRAT.
25 Cases French WINE PURTEBIS, in Quarts.
50 Cases FRUITS AU JUS, assorted.
An Invoice of the well-known French BUTTER, in Bottles, of excellent quality.
French CHOCOLATE, flavored with Vanille, GELATINE, in Packages to suit.
Finest Mexican VANILLA BEANS, in Tins.
ANCHOVIES in Bottle, COD ROES, HAMPIGNY, *à la Moïsette*; and a large assortment of every description of French PATÉES TRUFFES, HERBS, SAUSAGE, FISH, VEGETABLES, &c.

Also.

ROUSSILLON WINE, in Cask.
BANDOL WINE, in Cask.
MARSONNE WINE in Cask.
CHATEAUX LA STRE, LA ROSE, LATOUR, MARGEAUX, St. JULIEN and other Brands in Cases.
Very Dry CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts and Pints, and in Half-Pints. At

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2264 Hongkong, 29th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.

300 BARRELS Fresh California FLOUR At

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2765 Hongkong, 20th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.

500 CASES Genuine Schiedam GIN, mark *NSBD*.
50 Cases *AVH* in White Bottles, Genuine Brand. At

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2766 Hongkong, 20th November 1867.

FOR SALE.

Ex *Sea Ark* Cross and other late arrivals.

BASS'S ALE in Pints and Quarts.
GUINNESS'S STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
BARCLAY & Co.'s STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.
BASS'S ALE, in Draught.
BARCLAY & Co.'s in Draught.
SHERRIES, PORT, HENNESSY'S BRANDY, GINGER-WINE, GINGER-BRANDY, OLD TOM, Irish and Scotch WHISKEY, &c., &c.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2768 Hongkong, 20th November, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex late arrivals.

PRIME California CHEESE.
Prime Gruyere do.
Prime California BUTTER.
100 Barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK.
Prime Westphalia HAMS At

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OF every description, suitable for the Chinese Market.

For Sale in quantities to suit, by

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tf 2309 Hongkong, 17th October, 1867.

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BEG to announce that they are SELLING OFF their stock of the undermentioned GOODS at invoice prices, consisting of—

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A large lot of PIECE GOODS, comprising:—
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PERFUMERY, FANCY SOAPS,
And a great variety of other GOODS.

MULLER AND GLAUSSEN,
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tf 245 Hongkong, 5th February, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED.

EX "COREA" AND FRENCH MAIL.

A LARGE and carefully-selected assortment of the Newest Designs in Fancy Silks for DRESSES.
Black and Fancy-coloured DRESS SILKS and MOURN ANTIQUE.
Plain POPLINS in large variety.
A large assortment of the Newest and Choicest Shades in SILK, VEL

return in a few days and pay the rest of his passage money, together with some debts for provisions, &c., supplied on the voyage. Before leaving he gave his luggage into the hands of the prisoner, who was the supercargo, to take charge of him. After the lapse of a number of days Look-san went on board the junk, when on asking for his boxes and baggage, a man named Acum, one of the crew, gave him some pawn tickets, and said that the prisoner had pawned his clothes in order to recover the amount due him, and that were the pawn tickets not in his possession he would get his clothes back." Look-san came on shore, and immediately communicated with the police, and through them the prisoner was arrested, and the boxes recovered from the pawn shop, where they had been pawned. On examining the boxes, they were found to be broken open, and clothing to the amount of $200 was missing.

In defence, prisoner stated that Look-san, when he arrived here, was indebted to him to the amount of nearly $6.00 for his passage, previous, to the leaving the junk, he said to prisoner, that he would leave his luggage as security for his indebtedness, and that if he did not return and pay the money, the prisoner could pawn his clothes. Look-san did not return for a number of days, and prisoner accordingly took the boxes ashore in order to realize on them, and repay himself. He took them to a pawn shop, and afterward gave the tickets to the man Acum, who was to return them to Look-san when he should turn up. He called two witnesses, one the captain of the junk who supported this statement, and another the master of a large Chinese hong, who had produced prisoner when she was demanded by the police.

At the close of the evidence for both sides the Attorney-General briefly addressed the jury. He could hardly see how a man could, in this manner, dispose of goods left in his charge as security. Beside the boxes were not in the complainant's hand but left them, clothing to the value of $200 being missing and this in itself constituted felony. The Chief Justice charged the jury strongly in favour of the prisoner, and after only a short consultation a verdict of "Not guilty" was returned. The prisoner was accordingly discharged.

This concluded the business of the day, and the Court was adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Hongkong, Friday Evening.

The Drug market remains very quiet, and but a small amount of business has to be reported at $700 to $762½ for New Patna, and $685, for New Benares. Old Patna and Benares are nominally quoted $680. Malwa has been placed at $725, to the natives on credit terms. The market closes weak for all descriptions at the above rates.

There has been some little inquiry in the market for piece goods to-day, but the wretchedly depressed condition of affairs at present shows the market weaker than ever. Instead of importers making a stand against any further concessions on their part, the thermometer is still going down, and lower prices obtained. So long as this mortal funk among the foreign importers continues, the tone of the market cannot be expected to improve. Meanwhile, the natives will take advantage of this condition of affairs, and secure, at the expense of the terrified importer, what goods they may require, for the present, at least. There is no reason why the market should decline a farthing further, than the one above stated, and there is abundant proof at hand that a little firmness only is necessary to reestablish the market. Sales reported to-day include 1,000 pieces 10lbs. Grey Shirtings at 3¾, 1,500 pieces 8¼lbs. at 2¾, 17 bales 16¼lb Cotton Yarn at $112, 1,000 pieces 7lbs. T-Cloth at $2.25, 2,600 pieces White Shirtings, 6¼ and 6¾ reed, at 3¾. The Yarn above mentioned is a badly-assorted parcel, the higher numbers being out. There is not much doing in Raw Cotton, sales embrace 100 bales Bombay Staple at 8¼ to 8½, and 257 bales Bengal at 8¼ to 8½. Produce is rather quiet, and not much doing for the present. Sales reported to-day include 500 bags White Sugar at $3.50, 200 quarter-sacks of Flour at $1.35, 300 piculs Green Peas at $2.00, and $1.35, 300 piculs Green Peas at $2.00, and $1.35, 300 piculs Green Peas at $2.00, and

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

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AN Unfurnished airy ROOM, in the best part of *Wyndham Street*. View of the harbour. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
No. 53 Wyndham St.
1461 355 Hongkong, 21st February, 1868.

TO BE LET UNFURNISHED.

THE HOUSE, with Stabling, situated in the *Caine Road*, at present occupied by Colonel GAWLER.
Possession to be given on the 1st of March.
For further particulars, apply to
A. B. FIRKIS.
tf 331 Hongkong, 17th February, 1868.

TO BE LET.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs. DAMENHORST and SANDER.
For particulars apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON AND Co.
tf 322 Hongkong, 7th March, 1867.

TO LET.

On and after the 1st April Next.

THAT Handsome BUNGALOW, situated immediately in the rear and west of the *Albany*. Containing 5 Rooms, and Bath-room, Servants' rooms underneath, Stables and Cook-house detached, water laid on; a fine view of the Harbour, and a nice Garden in front and rear.
Apply early to
FAWCETT & Co.
tf 68 Hongkong, 11th January, 1868.

TO LET.

THE *Queen's Road* PREMISES, including Dwelling and Godown below, now occupied by the Undersigned.
DE SILVER & Co.
tf 2569 Hongkong, 7th November, 1867.

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES on *Pedder's Hill*, each containing Four Rooms, with Out-houses attached. Water and gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs. P. & A. C. CAMALLET & Co.'s Office, *Queen's Road.*
tf 116 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE, No. 4, situated in *Gage Street*.
Possession can be had immediately. For further particulars, apply to
CHONG-CHEW.
At Messrs. ROZARIO & Co.
tf 301 Hongkong, 18th February, 1868.

TO BE LET.

A HOUSE in *Queen's Road*, commanding a good view of the harbour from the North-side. The House contains Eight good Rooms, with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front and back, Kitchens, Servants' Rooms, and Godowns on ground floor. Apply to
TURNER & Co.
tf 268 Hongkong, 10th February, 1868.

TO LET.

NO. 5, PECHILI TERRACE, *Elgin Street*.
Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 230 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

TO LET.

A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, situated in *Elgin Street*. Apply to
D. NOWROJEE,
Opposite to ORIENTAL BANK.
tf 201 Hongkong, 4th February, 1868.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE, No. 14, *Wyndham Street*.
Apply to
J. A. DE CARVALHO.
219 2119 Hongkong, 3rd February, 1868.

TO LET.

THE PREMISES situated at *Pedder's Wharf*, lately occupied by Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868.
For further particulars, apply to
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 3063 Hongkong, 31st December, 1867.

STORAGE.

IN FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS, on the Praya. Apply to
S. E. BURROWS & SON.
tf 2057 Hongkong, 4th December, 1867.

NOTICE.

STORAGE can be had in the four large good GRANITE GODOWNS, situated at *Singapore* (Praya), next to the STEAM RICE MILL FACTORY. These Godowns are adjoining each other, well provided with compound Storekeepers, and hitherto in one of the Local Fire Insurance Companies. Charges moderate.
For particulars, apply to
FOOK-MOW-LONG HONG,
OR
KEEN-CHEONG HONG.
3m 3002 Hongkong, 24th December, 1867.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Oils, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1867.

STORAGE can be had in first class GRANITE GODOWNS, at *Waterhall*, on very moderate terms. For particulars apply to
CHARLES RIVINGTON,
At Messrs. LANDSEER & Co.'s Office, *Stanley Street.*
3m 45 Hongkong, 7th January, 1868.

TO LET.

FOR a term of years, with early possession, those desirable premises in Bank Buildings situated between the Agra Bank and Compt'oir d'Escompte, at present in the occupation of the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan. The principal building is very suitable for division into Offices or Chambers.
For further particulars, apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 637 Hongkong, 17th April, 1867.

TO LET.

THREE COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in *Spring Gardens*, possessing a thorough view of the harbour.
Apply to D. NOWROJEE,
Opposite to the Oriental Bank.
tf 2318 Hongkong, 4th December, 1867.

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES on *Carlton Terrace*, Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns. Rent moderate. Apply to
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2061 Hongkong, 6th September, 1867.

TO LET.

THE PREMISES situated in *Queen's Road* and *Stanley Street*, and at present occupied by Messrs. H. MANN & Co.
For particulars, apply to
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2062 Hongkong, 6th September, 1867.

TO LET.

THE two very eligible HOUSES on *Caine Road*, recently erected on the Premises known as the "HERMITAGE," situated between "Glenealy" and "Rose Hill," having a carriage-drive from the Road to the front of the buildings. *Gas laid on.*
These Houses can be inspected at any time.
Apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
Queen's Road.
tf 2069 Hongkong, 21st December, 1867.

TO LET.

THE CORNER HOUSE, No. 22B, in *Gage Street*, containing Six Rooms, with Comprador's Room, Godowns, and Stable attached. Water and gas laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTONJEE SETNA,
At Messrs P. & A. C. CAMALLET & Co.'s Office, *Queen's Road.*
tf 119 Hongkong, 17th January, 1868.

TO LET.

TO be Let Furnished, a HOUSE in *West Terrace*. Four Rooms and One Offices. Rent moderate. Address M., *Daily Press* Office
tf 1745 Hongkong, 29th July, 1867.

NOTICE.

LARGE AIRY ROOMS TO LET, Furnished or Unfurnished. Apply to
A. MILLAR,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
tf 259 Hongkong, 7th February, 1868.

TO LET.

THE Extensive and Eligible PREMISES (Corner of *Hollywood Road* and *Shelley Street*), lately in the occupation of H. M.'s Government. Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
tf 2057 Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

To Let.

TO LET.

TO BE LET, with early possession, those desirable PREMISES situated in the *Queen's Road*, at the corner of *Wyndham Street* (facing the HONGKONG CLUB), at present in the occupation of the AGRA BANK. Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 1836 Hongkong, 8th August, 1867.

TO LET.

FURNISHED or unfurnished OFFICES, in BANK BUILDINGS, immediately opposite the HOTEL COMPANY'S Premises.
Also,
COACH-HOUSE and STABLING for 5 Horses, situated on the *Robinson Road*. Water and Gas laid on, with the use of an enclosed growing-paddock adjoining.
For further particulars, apply to
EDMUND SHARP,
Solicitor.
tf 1637 Hongkong, 21st August, 1867.

HOUSES TO LET.

IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with *size, locality* and *terms* can be seen at No. 53, *Wyndham Street*.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867.

TO LET.

HOUSES in *Mosque Street*. Rent moderate. Apply to
H. L. NORONHA.
tf 2578 Hongkong, 21st November, 1867.

With immediate possession.

THE Property known as "ALMACK PLACE," having a frontage of Eighty-three feet on *Wellington* and *Gage Streets*, and of two hundred and twenty-nine feet on *Aberdeen Street*, comprising a superficial area of about 10,000 square feet.
Annual Ground Rent £12 12s. 6d.
For further particulars apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1867.

TO LET.

NO. 3, PECHILI TERRACE, *Elgin Street*.
Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 1704 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1867.

TO BE LET.

NEW and Strong GODOWNS, *C* and *E*, on Marine *lot* No. 63. Apply to
GAVIN THOMSON,
At GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s.
tf 2826 Hongkong, 17th December, 1867.

Insurances.

INSURANCES.

REDUCTION
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to REDUCE rates for FIRE INSURANCE for SHORT PERIODS, as follows:—

On Policies not exceeding 1 month	from ¼ to ⅛ per cent.
On Policies not exceeding 3 months	from ½ to ¼ "
On Policies not exceeding 6 months	from ¾ to ½ "
On Policies not exceeding 12 months	the annual rate.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company
tf 1809 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1866.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

MANAGING AGENTS IN CHINA,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
HONGKONG.
MEDICAL REFEREE,
IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.
For further particulars, forms of proposals &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Managing Agents in China.
tf 1416 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY

NOTICE is hereby given that an AGENCY of this Company has been opened in Macao, under the care of Messrs. MANGESON & Co., and that Captain GARDLE has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port.
By the order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,
Secretary.
tf 2279 Hongkong, 4th October, 1867.

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorised to accept the following Rates of Premium, for SHORT PERIOD RISKS on first-class Godowns and Goods stored therein.

For 1 month,	¼ of Annual Rate.
For 3 months,	½ do. do.
For 6 do.	¾ do. do.
Above 6 months the full Annual Rates.	

TURNER & Co.
tf 1789 Hongkong, 17th August, 1866.

At the request of the Undersigned, Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following INSURANCE COMPANIES:—
PHŒNIX ASSURANCE COMPANY.
LIVERPOOL, LONDON, AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,
UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents.
tf 1555 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1867.

REDUCTION OF RATES.
SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept SHORT RISKS at the following Reduced Rates:—

Not exceeding 1 month	⅙ per cent.
Above 1 month but not exceeding 3	¼ do.
Above 3 months but not exceeding 6	½ do.
Above 6 months but not exceeding 12	full annual rate.

ADAM SCOTT & Co., *Agents, Sun Fire Office.*
tf 1729 Hongkong, 13th August, 1866.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above office are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual Term and conditions. Risk will also be accepted at the following portions:—
Canton, by Messrs. DEACON & Co.
Macao, by E. L. LANCA, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs. BOYD & Co.
Foochow, by Messrs. KINWAR & Co.
Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to
ADAM SCOTT & Co., Agents.
tf 1698 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

HAMBURG BREMEN, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are now authorised to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $50,000 on one Risk.
WM. PUSTAU & Co., *Agents.*
Hongkong, 23rd March, 1864.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents	¼ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses strictly as such, and their contents	¼ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents	1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 373 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above CORPORATION are prepared to grant FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 3025 Hongkong, 27th December, 1867.

Insurances.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

A DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) *Eight* per cent. has been declared on the net Premiums contributed to the above ASSOCIATION for the year ending 30th September, 1866.
Policy-holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Secretaries.
tf 2073 Hongkong, 9th September, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent. of the profits of the Company for that year, divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, November, 1862.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY.
SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.,
tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

INCORPORATED 1859.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in Canton, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1865.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, $500,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES on Cargoes at current rates.
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1352 Hongkong, 10th August, 1867.

DE SOETBELING
SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, for the above-named Companies, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 1676 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1866.

GERMANIC LLOYDS.

G. MEINCKE, Esq., has been appointed by the GERMANIC LLOYDS' Society of Hamburg, their surveyor at this port, and is authorized to class vessels in conformity with their rules.
RASEDAG & Co.
Agents Germanic Lloyds.
3m 74 Amoy, 1st January, 1863.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.
137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.
JAMES HARTSHORN & Co.—*Managers.*
ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorized to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
W. MACAULAY, *Agent.*
tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, AND LONDON.

Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.

THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Insurance at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board
JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
Secretary.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town, and their contents	¼ per cent. per annum
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents	¼
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents	1

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

REDUCTION

In the rates of premium for FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furniture and effects therein contained.
In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents	½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents	¾ per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents	1 per cent.
First Class China Houses and their contents	1¼ per cent.

Other Risks by Special arrangement.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 714 Hongkong, 9th November, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 2,000,000, in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each,
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000.

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A. J. HOW, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)

Agencies are established at the several ports of China and Japan.
L. JOSEPHS, *Secretary.*
Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER
OF
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A.D. 1720.

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" 28 to 32	"	133.00	118.00
" 38 to 42	"	151.00	156.00
GREY SHIRTINGS, 7 to 7½ lbs	per piece	$2.20	$ 2.25
" 8 to 8½ lbs	"	2.80	2.90
" 9 to 10 lbs	"	3.90	4.10
WHITE SHIRTINGS, 34 to 40 INCH	"	3.20	3.30
" 44 to 46 "	"	3.40	3.62
" 48 to 52 "	"	3.90	4.60
WHITE SPOTTED DO.	"	3.20	3.25
WHITE BROCADES,	"	3.40	3.50
AMERICAN DRILLS, 30 yards	"	3.00	3.25
" 40 "	"	5.10	4.80
GREY T-CLOTHS, 24 yds. & 32 lbs.	"	3.15	3.10
" 24 yds. & 36 "	"	3.55	3.20
DYED SPOTTED SHIRTINGS,	"	8.00	4.00
DYED BROCADES Do.	"	4.10	4.00
DYED DAMASK Do.	"	7.00	7.20
CHINTZ,	"